April 30, 2009

The meeting of the Citizens' Advisory Committee meeting was called to order by Chairman Brian Denniston at 7:07 PM.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by the Chairman.

There were 15 people present.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and accepted by Mr. O.J. Haley and Mrs. Adele Esposito. There were no comments or corrections.

Chairman Brian Denniston said that Mr. Tom Daly was scheduled to be our guest speaker at the May meeting.Mr. Daley will give a "Walking Slide Show Tour" of old Newburgh, before Urban Renewal.

We now have a website for the Citizens' Advisory Committee. This is due in thanks to Mrs. Mary Verdegael and Mr. Jim Hoekema. Our minutes will now be posted on the website.

Mrs. Mary Keller read a letter she received from the City of Newburgh about permits for home security systems. Her security system, Hammond Security, sent a suggestion to the City Manager and a copy to the Police Chief. Mrs. Keller will call Hammond Security and see if they received a response.

The meeting adjourned at 7:30 PM so that we could incorporate our meeting with the Quassaick Creek Project meeting.

Our Orange County Legislators in attendance were Mr. Jim Kulisek and Mr. Chris Eachus

They described the 3 perspectives for preserving it, recreational, historical and educational.

We had a coffee break at 8:25 PM.

Discussion continued with comments from the audience.

Meeting adjourned at 10:00 PM.

Citizens' Advisory will meet again on May 28, 2009.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary Keller Secretary